MR. K. A. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Todupuzha* cum *Devicolam*): Beginning from what year?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): From the date of detection.

MR. K. A. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Todupuzha* cum *Devicolam*): Then Sir, may I know whether the department had not already taken the produce of these encroached lands for any year from 1105 onwards?

MR. T. C THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): I have no information.

MR. K. A. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Todupuzha* cum *Devicolam*): May I know, Sir, whether it is from 1105 onwards that the arrears of Kuthagapattam were definitely collected?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): It is in respect of 5 years, backwards from 1105.

MR. K. A. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Todupuzha* cum *Devicolam*): Then from 1105 backwards, for how many years did the department take that produce?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): I have no information.

MR. K A. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Todupuzha* cum *Devicolam*): May I know why the *Elam* Lands in Devicolam and Peermade taluks and those in the Todupuzha taluk are placed on a different footing?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): I do not understand. I claim notice.

MR. K. A. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Todupuzha* cum *Devicolam*): May I know why the *Elam* lands in Devicolam and Peermade taluks and the *Elam* lands in the Thodupuzha taluk are placed on a different footing?

PRESIDENT: I think you wanted to "claim notice," because he wanted to find out an answer to a different question.

MR. P. K. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Ambalapuzha I*): May I know whether it is the practice of the Land Revenue Department to realise the arrears of Kuthagapattam from the lands trespassed upon?

MR. T C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): Yes.

MR. P. K. NARAYANA PILAI (*Ambalapuzha I*): Is it the prohibitory tax that they are entitled to in regard to the lands trespassed upon?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): I claim notice.

Kallambalam-Karettu trace.

144. ❋ MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil II*): With regard to the conversion of the Kallambalam-Karettu trace into a cart road, will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) when the work was sanctioned and started;

(*b*) to what extent the work has progressed and

(*c*) why the work is not yet completed?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer*). (*a*) In 1930.

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(*b*) The first portion from Kallambalam to Nagaroor has already been completed.

(*c*) The second portion from Nagaroor to Karettu has not yet been taken up for want of funds.

MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil II*): May I know from the member when the work was held up for want of funds?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer*): I am afraid the member has not understood my answer. The road was divided into two portions. The first portion was taken up and completed and the second portion has not been started for want of funds.

MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil II*): May I know when the first section of the road has been completed?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer*): I can't give the exact date, but the completion report was sent in 1931.

MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil II*): May I know whether the Chief Engineer has inspected the road?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer*): I think, not.

MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil II*): May I know whether the Chief Engineer will be pleased to inspect the road and enquire into the necessity of the completion of the road.

MR G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer*): In reply, I must refer the member to the answer given to part (*c*) which says that the second portion has not been taken up for want of funds. No useful purpose could be served therefore if the Chief Engineer inspected the road.

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): May I know whether the Chittar road forms one section of the Kallambalam-Karettu trace.

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer*): I expect the member knows the answer better than I.

MR. K. R. ELENKATH (*Kalkulam I*): In view of answer to part (*a*), may I know whether Government look after the maintenance of the part road which has been constructed, since 1931.

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer*): Yes.

The Attingal-Dalavapuram road.

145. ***MR. S. NILAKANTA PILLAI** (*Chirayinkil II*): Will the Government be pleased to state

(*a*) whether there was any representation regarding the non-completion of the Attingal-Dalavapuram road in the Chirayinkil taluk; and

(*b*) if the answer to part (*a*) is in the affirmative, whether any further work has been undertaken; if not, why?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer*): (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) No further work has been undertaken as the estimates for the first and third sections of the road are under reference with the Division Officer.

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